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Sir:

Enclosed herewith are the necessary papers for filing the following application for Letters Patent:

Applicant : WERNER PLASS ET AL.

Title : SURFACE EMITTING SEMICONDUCTOR LASER CHIP AND METHOD FOR PRODUCING THE CHIP

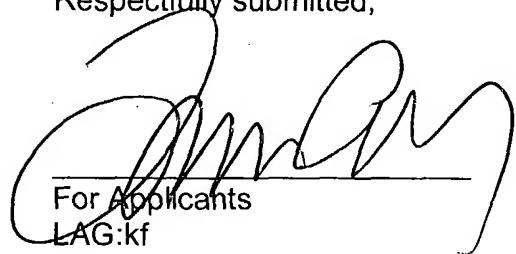
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